AIR CRAFT HIT AND BOTH FELL

One German Aviator Killed and Two Others Were Gravely Injured

NOVICE WAS RUNNING ONE OF MACHINES

Collision in Air Took Place at Height of One Hundred Feet

Johannistbal, Germany, Feb. 10.-A mid-air collision between a biplane and turned last night from Ausable Forks, a monoplane over the aerodrome here to-day caused the death of one German aviator and serious injury to two others. Gerhard S. Edlymayer, an experienced airman, was flying the biplane with Lieutenant Leohardi of the German army as a passenger. They were circling the aerodrome at a height of about one hundred feet when their machine was struck by a monoplane, in which a man named Degner, a pupil at the flying school, was making his first independent flight. Both machines fell, killing Degner and gravely hurting the en in the biplane.

SACRIFICE LIFE IN MAKING RECORD

Lieut. Henry B. Post Plunged to Death in San Diego Bay After Reaching Height of 12,120 Feet by Aeroplane.

San Diego, Feb. 10 .- Lieutenant Henry B. Post of the first aero corps, considered one of the most skillful United States army aviators, plunged to his death in San Diego bay yesetrday, when the right wing of his hydro-aeroplane crumpled. Post died after establishing an American altitude record of 12,120 He fell 600 feet into shallow water and was dead when Francis Wild-man reached the scene in a flying boat.

WOMAN'S CHIEF WORK.

To Be That of Home-Maker, Declares Dr. William W. Guth.

with the view to business or professional stock of goods from 157 North Main been unsuccessful. life on the ground that all women can street to 187 North Main street. Mr. which the hopes and fears of so many not or will not marry, it would be a Andrews recently secured a lease on the mistaking of the real purpose of her floor space in the Currier building for a unless handled with foresight and judg higher education if she should be trained term of years. The People's Shoe store ment and a spirit of mutual concession away from rather than toward the ex- has been located in the Henderson threatens grave future difficulties, it is pectancy of marriage and motherhood

"I would have no word to say con-Personally, I have never found any reason why woman should not vote.

knows something about business and Charles Trentini, P. Termini, C. Appiani public affairs and is interested in social and G. Corti. There were many floral betterment cannot be lovable, and gracious, and sweet, or above all, a good cemetery.

GLOUCESTER CHURCH DESTROYED BY FIRE

Together With Vestments and Church Property-Cause Was Overheated Furnace.

Gloucester, Mass., Feb. 10. church of Our Lady of Good Voyages, the largest Catholic church in Essex county, was burned to-day with a loss The fire started from an overheated furnace. All the vestments and church property were destroyed.

BOSTON CHURCH BURNS.

Second Universalist Structure in South End Swept by Flames.

Boston, Feb. 10 .- The Second Universalist church at Clarendon and Chandler Cahn, New York; John Lavery, Rutland; streets, in the South End, was badly damaged by fire early to-day. Starting in the rear of a large brick structure, flames quickly swept, through the

The church, one of the oldest Univerdriven from their homes,

the first pastor of the church. The pres- red and white. Games, music and re ent pastor is Rev. S. H. Roblin.

\$100,000 including the destruction of the they departed

As the fire permeated to the front of the two hostesses. the church the firemen took precautions to guard against the danger to nearby steeple should fall. The Back Bay hotel representing the Blanchard building at is directly across Columbia avenue from the Paradis alleys last night. The Wood one corner of the church.

RUTLAND HOTEL TALK.

People Said to Be Acting for P. W. Clement Secure an Option.

Rutland, Eeb. 10 .- The latest phase won by the Wood block by 21 pins. of Rutland's much-talked-of prospective new hotel centers about the southeast the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. corner of Center and Wales streets. It R. Calcagni of Berlin street, whose is stated that people acting in the interests of P. W. Clement and others short illness of bronchial pneumonia, have secured an option on the property were held at his home this afternoon at land Pythian association to secure an men acted as bearers: A. Calcagni, F. brought formally before the association at an early meeting.

TALK OF THE TOWN

The boys of the Congregational church

The boys of the Congregational church will have their gymnasium class this evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Regular meeting of Ruth chapter, No. 33, O. E. S., will be held Wednesday evening, Feb. 11, at 7:30 o'clock,

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bixhy of Morrisville are rejoicing over the birth of a seven-pound daughter, born Feb. 7.

Henry Tierney of Merchant street returned last night from a few days' visit with relatives at Newbort and Lyndon.

with relatives at Newport and Lyndon-Over the Teacups club will meet at the home of Mrs. Nat. Bond Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for a social

Homer Fitts and daughter, Esther, and Miss Maggie Wood are in New York

attending the exhibit of the garment manufacturers. The study class in parliamentary law will meet in the library Thursday afternoon, Feb. 12, at 3 o'clock.

Topic, "Motions."
Miss Cora Hamil, who has been visiting in the city with friends for the past few days, returned last night to her home at Hartford.

Mrs. William Barclay of Park street went yesterday to St. Johnsbury, where she will visit for a few days as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. Stetson. Arthur C. Moore of Orange street re-

their memerial meeting, to be held on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 11, at 2:30 o'clock in the directors' room at the public library. Electric cars leave Barre at terrupting the debate a free fight on the :20 and 2:20,

insurance company went to-day to ment organ, was stoned. Keene, N. H., where he will attend the annual meeting of the company's agents, KING GEORGE which will convene to morrow night.
Mr. Griggs will return to the city during the latter part of the week.

Another of the Eaton-Tobin series of

present and the dancing party proved to be one of the most pleasurable of the winter. At intermission a dainty lunch-con was served. Music was furnished by Riley's orchestra of six persons.

Interviews with striking car men and fficials of the Barre & Montpelier Traction & Power Co. to-day failed to bring out any information concerning mutually laid plans for arbitration of the differences between the two. If either side is considering a new overture, that fact has been successfully concealed.

building for over a decade.

The funeral of Louis Cravero, whose co-operation of men of all parties and cerning woman's rights, if her rights death in a hospital at Boston last creeds may heal the dissension and lay a involve nothing more than the ballot. Thursday followed a two weeks' illness foundation of lasting settlement. of pleurisy, was held from his late home, 39 Granite street, Monday after-There is no reason why a woman who noon at 2 o'clock. The bearers were pieces. Interment was made in Hope

Manager Thomas Carroll of the Shamrock basketball team is in commu nication with several independent team through the northern section of the state for games during the coming two The Shamrock quintet meets be made to round the team into cham-

pionship form by that date. Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, who are to participate in the sleigh ride this in his death last night. evening are asked to meet at the ball in the Gordon block at 6 o'clock. The barges will start for Williamstown at just as the woman found her machine 6:30 o'clock. More than 50 people will stalled. He volunteered to assist her take part in the affair. At the grange and started to crank the engine, the hanhall in Williamstown supper will be served and there will be dancing and against his arm.

games to follow. Among those who registered as guests at The Buzzell hotel yesterday were the ollowing: George Parsons, Boston; H. W. Boaz, Richford; Charles G. Russell Richmond, Va.; F. P. Wells, Richmond Va.; Harry E. Gage, Burlington; Max Aaron Linder, Chicago; H. D. Ballon, Woonsocket, R. I.; William Booth, Keene, N. H.; H. M. Cutter, Boston; C. G. Fe-

A joint birthday party was held at 61 Summer street last evening in honor salist places of worship in the city, was of the twentieth birthday anniversaries in the midst of a lodging house district, of Miss Jessie Kidder and Miss Beulah and many families were temporarily Tillotson, both students at Goddard seminary. The rooms were decorated The famous divine, Hosea Ballon, was for the occasion, the color scheme being freshments contributed to the pleasure The damage is estimated at about of the young people, and at a late hour for their homes, feeling that they had been well entertained by

> The reorganized Ladd bowling team, playing under the caption of the in cose the hundred foot building bowling club," defeated the five team won two out of three games and secured the highest total pinfall. The first game was won by the Wood men by the score of 382 to 339. The second game resulted in a victory for the Blanchard building employes, the score being 384 to 369, The final game was

Funeral services for Rinaldo Calcagn Metzger brothers, and the tentative 2 o'clock. The services were in charge in to the hands of the printers and shows price of \$20,000 for the corner is named. of the deaconesses of the North Barre that the total funded debt of the city Overtures are being made to the Rut- Methodist mission. The following young option on the western portion of their Calcagni, F. Spagnoli and H. Comolli, of \$54,381.62. This amount will be still property and the matter will probably Many floral offerings came from a wide circle of friends and relatives. The interment was made in Hope cemetery.

JAPAN SOLONS IN FREE FIGHT

A Bitter Spirit Develops Against the Present Government

STREET RIOTING

But Government Won Victory in Parliament To-day

N. Y., where he has been visiting for the populace, many people hurt and nearly 11 years. From this office he national reputation as a society butler the past few days as the guest of his numbers of others arrested made the was elected to the rank of lieutenant—thief left here last night in charge of brother, J. Henry Moore. All those who are going on the sleigh ride of the Baptist church C. E. society are requested to be at the church at 6 o'clock sharp, as the team will start in was introduced as a protest against the colonel Herbert T. Johnson of Bradford good season. Per order of committee.

The ladies' and pastor's union of the Hedding Methodist church will hold its regular monthly business meeting in the RAILROADS COME TO TERMS. attitude of the cabinet in connection and it is said to be probable that there

church parlor on Thursday at 2:30 p. m.
Ladies please come prepared to help tie quilts. A large attendance is desired.

The Montpelier W. C. T. U. cordially invites the Barre W. C. T. U. to attend in the House was dramating the and a fierce attack was made on Presented in the Language of the Central Very large of the Central Ver floor of the House ensued. Later the of-J. C. Griggs of the Griggs and Linekin lices of the newspaper Chuo, a govern-

COUNSELS CARE

for Ireland-He Opened Parliament

opened the fourth session of the present British Parliament, a session that \$15,000. A satisfactory arrangement promises to be history making owing to having been agreed upon, the work of the import of constitutional questions to building the station will be begun early be decided, including home rule of Ireomises to be history-making owing to land. He was accompanied by Queen be Mary, who, like the king, wore a crown and brilliant royal robes.

His Majesty drove in the state coach of gold, which was drawn by eight Han-

my earnest wish that the good will and

GALLANTRY COST HIM HIS LIFE

Bennett A. Treat Cranked Auto for Woman Friend, Broke Arm, Contracted Infection and Died at Derby, Conn., Last Night as Result.

Derby, Conn., Feb. 10.-His efforts to accused with them, was discharged assist a woman friend in cranking an Our Lady of the Good Voyages Lost, the Caledonia A. A. on Feb. 26 for the automobile recently cost Bennett A. state championship and every effort will Treat, aged 68, his life. As he was enplaces. An infection developed, resulting witnesses for Sharkey and Osborne, who

The injury was sustained on the street, Mr. Treat coming along the sidewalk

TRAFFICKING IN DRUG Is Charge Brought Against Man in

New York.

New York, Feb. 10.-An agent of the a Boston wholesale druggist obtained the evidence presented by the postoffice authorities yesterday against Oscar W. Smith, manager of the local branch of Parke, Davis & Co., wholesale drug manorder the drug from Smith and when iment, Vermont Volunteers. Smith filled the order through the mails he was arrested. Smith waived exami-nation and was held in \$1,500 bail to

BROKE HIP ON ICE.

Mrs. Victor Treflin Injured at Sheldon By Fall.

Sheldon, Feb. 10,-As Mrs. Victor Treflin of Fairfield, who had been visiting Mrs. George W. Maynard, started to go to the train to return home this morn ing she slipped on some ice and fell. breaking one hip. A cot bed was brought Mrs. Maynard's home, where medical aid was summoned.

MONTPELIER.

City's Net Debt Is \$298,410.65, Increase Former Master of New York State of \$54,381.62 Over Last Year.

The auditor's report has been turned is \$347,500 and the net debt \$298,410.65, an increase in the net debt over last year 136.60, to be expended on the new high school building.

COL. DYER OF V. N. G.

ford Is Next in Line and There Is Said to Be No Opposition to

His Promotion. Rutland, Feb. 10,-After 27 years of continuous service in the Vermont Na-tional Guard, Col. H. Edward Dyer, at

present head of the 1st infantry, has forwarded his resignation to the adjutant-general, the same to take effect February 15. TRIOTING

WAS FREQUENT

February 15.

At his home in Mill Village, a suburb of this city, last night Colonel Dyer said: "I have decided to resign because of pressure of business and I have taken this particular time because I feel it will be most satisfactory and conven-

ient to my successor and to the regiment. The duties of the position are continually growing and I am unable to faithfully attend to both my personal affairs and the business devolving on Claims He Was Educating the head of the regiment.

Colonel Dyer entered the service, en-listing from college in 1889. He has served as private, corporal, lieutenant in company A of this city, and during the Spanish-American war was captain of the local company. Shortly after his Tokio, Japan, Feb. 10.—Rioting in the streets, collisions between the police and talion and served in this capacity for

RAILROADS COME TO TERMS.

tween the officials of the Central Vermont and Rutland railroads with the Burlington committee of seven on the union station was held yesterday morning in the private car Mariquita at the station, with the result that the final proposition on the part of the railroads for a union station in Burlington was made, the roads having agreed between themselves as to what they will do.

Briefly stated, the railroads' proposi ion is that they will build a union station in Main street facing Battery assembly dances was held in Howland In Considering Question of Home Rule street, the structure to cost \$65,000, hall last evening. There were 63 couples for Ireland—He Opened Parliament They will also make expenditures in Session With Much Pomp.

London, Feb. 10.—King George to-day

rearranging tracks, building umbrella sheds, grading, paving etc., bringing the amount up to \$150,000. They ask the city to contribute its part in the sum of made to have the station completed by the end of the year.

EARTHOUAKE WAS FELT.

Baltimore, Feb. 10.—In his inaugural address yesterday Dr. William Westley Guth, the new president of Goucher college, declared that woman's chief work is to be that of home maker and that in aff the training for women which the schools can give the duty of motherhood must be carried out. He said in part:

"While our higher institutions of learning should grant to women the privilege of graduate and technical courses, proprietor of the People's Shoe store, is transferring his stock of goods from 157 North Main stock of the House detay to the king's entrance of the House "In a matter in and Northfield also report similar experience.

NO BAIL FOR TOM SHARKEY.

Committed for Sentence on Conviction of Maintaining Disorderly Resort.

New York, Feb. 10.-Thomas J. Sharkey, former heavy weight prize fighter, was committed to the Tombs without bail last night for sentence on February 16 for maintaining a disorderly resort East Fourteenth street near Third avenue. With him went Andrew Osbourne, formerly of Binghamton, N. Y., who has managed Sharkey's saloon for twelve years. Three justices in the court of special session vesterday found the two men guilty after a trial of a few hours. A waiter in Sharkey's place,

A Catholic priest, the secretary of a A. neighborhood association, and a member of an anti-vice committee, testified for deavoring to crank the machine, the han-the prosecution. Merchants, business dle flew back and broke one arm in two men and other testified as character took the stand in their own defence Sharkey, testifying, said he ran "the most respectable place in New York."

AN ORIGINAL MEMBER OF CO. L. dle becoming released and flying back Nelson Drown Died at Home of Son in

Greensboro, Aged 77. Greenshoro, Feb. 10.-Nelson Drown died Sunday afternoon at the home of his son, N. L. Drown, where he lived for several years. Mr. Drown had been in feeble health for a long time, but was feeling as well as usual in the morning dederal department of agriculture and and said he was going to church. He went to his room to get ready and not coming out again as soon as expected his son went and found him lying down. Mr. Drown said he was not feeling quite as well and thought he would not go to ufacturers of Detroit, who is charged church. A doctor was called but he conwith trafficking through the mails in a tinued to fail and died in a few hours. habit forming drug. The agent, it was He was 77 years of age and was an alleged, got the Boston drug firm to original member of company 1, 15th reg-

HORSE THEFT CHARGED.

await the action of the federal grand George LaRose Bound Over to Addison County Court,

> Vergennes, Feb. 10.-Deputy Sheriff S. Farr of Bristol arrested George Larose yesterday at Ticonderoga, N. and brought him before Justice of the All members are requested to attend the Peace G. F. O. Kimball on complaint of rehearsal. State's Attorney F. W. Tuttle on the charge of stealing a borse, harness, cutter and robes last week of Thomas for the past ten days, went this foreamination and was bound over by the court in the sum of \$1,000 to appear at taken to Middlebury to await trial.

RIDICULED "VEAL LAW."

Grange In Opposition to Bill.

Albany, N. Y., Teb. 10.—Satirical opposition to the proposed "veal law" now before Congress was made in the Senate last night by Senator Godfrey, a former master of the state grange. He introduced a resolution criticising the nationfurther increased by the addition of \$32,- at bill and proposed that it be adopted and sent to Congress. The resolution was referred to committee,

HAS RESIGNED HE STOLE GEMS ACCEPT INVITATION TO MEET IN BARD Lieut.-Col. Herbert T. Johnson of Brad- TOADORPHANS New England Association of Cemetery ford Is Next in Line and There Is

George Gunning Brought to Portsmouth, N. H., to Answer New Charge

\$20,000 DIAMOND ROBBERY CHARGED

Two Girls Who Befriended Him in England

Philadelphia, Feb. 10.-George Gunning, who, the police say, has an interhe is wanted on the charge of stealing 820,000 worth of diamonds while serving as butler for Mrs. George H. Studebaker in June. 1912.

Gunning was released from the county prison here last Saturday after serving a sentence for stealing diamonds from a local physician by whom he was employed. Gunning says the proceeds of his recent robberies were used to educate two orphans who befriended him in England and who do not know that their benefactor is a thief.

MATHESON-TASSIE.

Wedding at Home of Bride Last Evening-To Reside in Orleans.

A quiet wedding took place last even-ing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Tassie at 6 West street when their daughter, Miss Emma Alice, was united in marriage to Lionel James Matheson, son of Mrs. Anna Matheson of Grant avenue. Rev. J. W. Barnett, pastor of the Congregational church, officiated at the wedding and the single ring service

The wedding took place in the parlor of the Tassie home, which was attractively decorated. The bridal party stood beneath an arch of evergreens, white beneath an arch of evergreens, white liles and a large wedding bell of a green and white color scheme. The bride was given away by her father, James Tassie. Miss Mae Tassie, a sister of the bride, acted as maid of honor, and James bride, acted as maid of honor, and James as its entertaining side. Brown, an intimate friend of the groot acted as best man. Miss Margaret Tassie, another sister of the bride, acted as ring bearer. The bride was becomingly

for a visit through the southern part of New England. After two weeks they will reside at Orleans, where he is en-

gaged as a pharmacist. Mr. and Mrs. Matheson are prominent known in Barre and vicinity. Mr. Matheson is a graduate of Spaulding high school and for many years was employed as a drug clerk at the D. F. Davis pharmacy. He was employed with other drug stores in the city. For the past few weeks he has been residings at Orleans. Mrs. Matheson has acquired a large circle of friends during her resi in Barre. She has acted as an assistant at the office of Dr. D. C. Jarvis for some time past. They received many beautiful gifts, such as silver, cut glass,

BADLY INJURED BY 20-FOOT FALL

C. F. Jones of St. Albans Landed on Head and Shoulders in Plunge from Staging at Sheldon Springs.

St. Albans, Feb. 10 .- C. F. Jones, employed by the Vermont Power & Manuacturing Co., was seriously injured this morning while doing work at the pulp mill of the Missisqui Pulp & Paper Co. at Sheldon Springs. He fell from a staging 20 feet high and landed on his head and shoulders. He was brought to the hospital in this city at 10:30 o'clock, and he still is in an unconscious condi tion. The physicians are not able to tell at present how badly he is burt.

TALK OF THE TOWN

William Pitkin of Boston arrived in the city to-day for a few days' business

Lawrence Bruce returned to the city to day from Claremont, N. H., where he has been visiting for the past few days. Miss Laura Long of Franklin arrived in the city to-day to pass a few days as the guest of friends on South Main

George Troupe, sr., who has been passing a few months in Barre and Waterbury with relatives, returned yesterday to his home at Albany, N. Y. There will be a meeting of the Barre band at the band rooms in the old city building at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

street.

Mrs. H. E. Wetherby, who has been visiting relatives in Barre and Plainfield Leonard of Bristol. LaRose waived ex- noon to Claremont, N. H., to visit her sister, Mrs. Currier.

Companion court, No. 757, I. O. F., and Mrs. Treflin was carried back to the June term of Addison county court. will hold a special meeting Wednesday, Mrs. Maynard's home, where medical aid Being unable to obtain bail LaRose was Feb. 11, in the Worthen block, for the purpose of settling up their business before consolidating. All members are requested to be present. Per order R. S.

Kate Gaegoire. Miss Margaret Mary McKenna observed her birthday anniversary at the St. Monica church parsonage on Summer street to-day. Miss McKenna entertained friends at a dinner. During the day she was the recipient of many handsome presents from acquaintances.

fair, with moderate northwest winds,

Superintendents Voted at Boston Last Night to Hold Summer Gathering in Granite City.

Association of Cemetery Superintendents on the occasion of its annual outing the coming summer. Information to the effect was received here by wir forenoon from Superintendent or meder Hanton of the local cemeter co mission, who has been representing the

association, at the annual business meeting of the New England organization. Plans for the outing will have their inception at once. Yearly the New England association assembles at some point for an outing and through the efforts of Superintendent Hanton, the outing will be held in Barre some time in June. The vote to come to Vermont at the invitation of the allied associations of this city was carried at the closing session of the New England association in Boston last night. Cemetery superintendents from every large center in New England were present and the vote to ments of the city's schools is described go to Barre for the summer outing is said to have been received with enthu-

The decision of the superintendents to honor Barre with their summer meet ing is the outcome of a campaign which ducting, with the assistance of Superintendent Hanton, himself a member of the association, for several weeks. Ar-

scenery that Vermont has to offer. ome by reason of the unique manner of entertainment which is sure to be provided. Hitherto, the summer outings of the association have been held at the beach or at amusement parks.

THIRD GAMBLING ARREST.

Following Investigation Into Complaint

of Resorts in Barre. An investigation into the charge that gambling resorts are flourishing in Barre culminated yesterday afternoon in the third arrest of the day. Robert E. Murphy was taken into custody by Chief Sinclair and arraigned before Judge H. ing resort. The respondent entered a plea of not guilty through his attorney, William Wishart, but the court addged him guilty and imposed a \$25 fine and costs of \$5.14, which were paid. The respondent, so the police claimed, conducted a resort in the Bolster block. Howard J. Ennis, who was one of two harbers to plead to similar charges in the forenoon, paid a fine of \$25 and costs in the afternoon.

Cabot Men in Court.

On the highest plot of cultivated round in Vermont yesterday, Deputy Sheriff A. M. Morrison arrested Jack Foster, Dan McLean and Harry Stevens in Cabot yesterday. The deputy's brush with the trio was staged on a altitudious plateau overlooking the shimmering surface of Lake St. Joe, which, however, did not shimmer yesterday. Foster, McLean and Stevens were want ed on intoxication charges, the state claiming that a number of unpleasantries which marred the harvest home festival and promenade at Cabot on the be engaged who shall work with small night of Jan. 30 were due in part to groups of pupils who need special aid. their antics. The men accompanied the officer after a little parleying. All four suffered greatly from exposure, and according to the testimony of one, the pils and given special attention, but I wind blew such a gale that the very crust was ripped from snow and flung into their faces. They arrived in Barre

at 6 o'clock. Foster, McLean and Stevens pleaded not guilty to the charges. By the court, they were adjudged guilty and sentenced to pay fines of \$5 with costs amounting \$13.50, or thereabouts, in each case. Through their counsel, R. A. Hoar, they appealed the decision to county court. Bail of \$50 was stacked in the courtroom

for their appearance. Lucio Higuera, who was arrested Sunday by local officers, came before the magistrate yesterday afternoon and changed his original plea to guilty. fine of \$5 and costs of \$7.26 were paid.

John Brennan, who was arrested Saturday night by Officer Ed L. McLeod, medical inspection can be had for \$500 was brought into court again this forenoon for a hearing. asked for a jury trial and Constable George L. Morris was instructed to empanel a jury. The case was started

From Darkness to Light.

A missionary pageant to be given by the Young Ladies' Missionary society of

17, 7:30 p. m. Processional—Women of all lands. have seen a great light." difficulties with her patients.

Hible lesson Greetings in Constantinople-Two Moaission college schools in Burma?

Opportunity in India-How shall we A Christian welcome to America-

Seene at the immigrant station. "China's new flag." Oriental refreshments will be served in

Weather Forecast.

ceeds of the entertainments will go to of the report of Miss Josephine Hovey,
Baptist missions. Admission, 15c; children, 10c.

TO MEET IN BARRE SPECIAL AID INSTRUCTION

Barre is to entertain the New England Recommended by Supt. Rosthe Lag Polis Who

Quarryowners' association, the Board of Trade and the Granite Manufacturers' MORE "REPEATERS" IN BARRE SCHOOLS

He Also Recommends Summer Continuation Schools

Commendable progress in all depart-

in the forthcoming annual report of the

city superintendent, the principal of

Spaulding high school and the various departmental heads. All matter per the Quarryowners, the Manufacturers taining to these annual statements has and the Board of Trade have been conaration for the issue of the city report Superintendent E. M. Roscoe devotes considerable space to a review of what rangements will be made immediately has been accomplished in the second year for carrying out the earlier details of of his superintendency. He gives a dethe occasion and committees from the tailed account of the changes made in organizations will be formed at once, the various buildings for the purpose of Tentative plans suggest that the out- increasing the accommodations and urges ing is to be conducted along the lines that arrangements be made ultimately of "Barre day." Aug. 22 last. It is for seating only 42 students in each proposed to provide the same measure school room. Two additional teachers of entertainment for the superintendents have been engaged since the new North as that enjoyed by the retailers last Barre building was opened. Revision to year. Probably the outing will embrace a certain extent has been made in the an automobile trip around the city, inspection tours through the cutting tory course and a new system has been plants, perhaps a train ride through introduced in writing. Results are being the quarry districts, a buffet luncheon accomplished already, the report says, out of doors or a barbecue, and an au- where changes of this kind have been tomobile drive through some of the finest made. The work in physical training has been carried on with much enthu-It is thought that at least 100 superintendents will make up the party and there are prospects that more will session is recommended in preference to ndoor exercise. Folk dancing has been introduced among the younger students

with the supervisor of music in charge Referring to the revision of school laws, the superintendent says: year's gathering will be an unusual de- last report I spoke of the indefiniteness parture from this rule, inasmuch as the of the school laws in regard to the age Barre organization will see to it that limit for school attendance. Since then the outing has its instructive as well the legislature has removed any possible doubt in the matter by placing the age limit at 16. It limits the granting of excuses and provides that only for emergeneies or absence from town may a pupil be excused and such excuse must issued in writing by the superintendent for a period of ten days only. I be-lieve this law has been well carried out and we have received splendid support

from the truant officer. Continuing, the report says: "Thus far I have spoken of the things we have attempted to do. There remain many things to be accomplished if we would have our schools perform the duties which the public is coming to expect of them. Rightly or wrongly, the school is having additional responsibilities thrust upon it. It is impossible for us to follow the beaten paths of custom and tradition in the matter of school work, however successful those customs may have been. Efficiency is the great test which the business world is demanding and effi-

ciency tests are being applied to our

"There are in our schools many pupils who are retarded. They are known in the tables appended as 'repeaters.' These tables show an increase in the number this fall term over that of the year before. This is due, in part, to the fact that pupils are now required to remain in school until they are at present there is very little that can be done to help this class of pupils. Many need special help which is possible for them to receive when a teacher has from 40 to 50 pupils in a room. I would recommend that teachers I would not include in this number those who are mentally defective. They, too, should be separated from the other pubelieve that such cases can better be treated in institutions created for that

purpose. In concluding, the superintendent recommends that summer continuation schools be opened for the benefit of pupils who have failed to make their grade His suggestion contemplates a school that will be open three or four hours during six weeks of the summer. One of the largest contributions to the retardation, the report goes on, is the pophysical condition of the students. that can be done, however, to remedy these conditions, is being done, as the state provides eye and ear tests. A author of the report advocates medical regulation and inspection in the public hools and believes that satisfactory

per year in Barre. Before closing, the superintendent pays a compliment to the work of the evening drawing school and the sewing school conducted by the Woman's Civic club. He also commends the various teachers

for their co-operation during the year. Principal White's Report.

Principal C. H. White's report on the condition of affairs at Spaulding high school notes an increase of 69 over the the Baptist church, Barre, Vt., February enrollment of the preceding year. Eleven seniors and five graduate students are taking the teacher training course. The people that walked in darkness They comprise the largest class of its kind in the state. Mention is made of A missionary doctor in China-Her the glee club, creditable athletic teams and the distribution of the alumni Eng-A mission school in Japan-Learning lish and the Knights of Columbus prizes the tea ceremony. Arranging flowers. A Recapitulary statistics are given of the graduation exercises, the number of students in each course, etc. Last year the hammedan women. Two girls from the school graduated 56; of this number nine are tenching, 20 are going to school in Which-Buddhist temples or Christian outside towns, many of them in colleges, and others are working. In closing, Principal White expresses appreciation for the loyalty and faithfulness of the

teachers under him. Departmental Reports.

A desire to teach musical appreciation the vestry after the pageant. The pro- is the keynote in the opening paragraphs

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